

Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument Road Report

Thursday, September 03, 2015

All road conditions can change due RAPIDLY to weather.

Please contact the nearest visitor center for the most current conditions.

Roads to the East

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Burr Trail	9/2/2015	2WD	2WD (per Capitol Reef NPS road report)
Notom-Bullfrog	9/2/2015	2WD	2WD (per Capitol Reef NPS road report)
Road to Bullfrog Marina	9/2/2015	2WD, 2WD High Clearance	Conditions at Bullfrog Creek xing unknown.
Wolverine Loop	8/22/2015	2WD High Clearance	Road is a little sandy in a few places.
Cedar Wash	7/30/2015	2WD	Dry, with some sections of deep sand.
Hole in the Rock	8/27/2015	2WD, 2WD High Clearance	2WD to Dry Fork turnoff with caution to areas of mud and standing water. Recommend HC-4WD for last 7 miles.
Spencer Flat	8/14/2015	2WD High Clearance	Deep sand out at the end.

Roads to the North

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Hells Backbone	8/1/2015	2WD	some washboards
Posey Lake to Loa	8/1/2015	2WD	2WD w/caution. Some washboard.
Whites Flat (FR #142)	8/1/2015	2WD	passable
Griffin Top	8/17/2015	2WD	Log trucks may be present between the Escalante summit and Clayton Guard Station
North Creek (FR #149)	8/1/2015	2WD	passable
Main Canyon	8/1/2015	2WD	passable

Roads to the Central Areas

Name	Date	Condition	Comments
Smoky Mountain - Alvey Wash	9/1/2015	2WD High Clearance	Wahweap Creek crossing has been repaired. Conditions north of that point are unknown.
Left Hand Collet	8/11/2015	Impassable	Very difficult due to extensive storm damage. Not advised at this time.
Croton	8/13/2015	Impassable	High clearance is recommended due to a few ruts south of the Ahlstrom Point turnoff. Impassable north of the Grand Bench turnoff.
Smoky Hollow	7/23/2015	4WD High Clearance	Washed away at several wash crossings. Not recommended.

Roads to the West

Name	Date	Road	Comments
Cottonwood	9/2/2015	2WD, Impassable	Road is CLOSED (Kane County) between Grosvenor Arch and US 89. Grosvenor Arch is accessible from the north with 2WD and caution to damaged areas.
Skutumpah	9/2/2015	2WD High Clearance	Clearance recommended for a few rough wash crossings. Forecasted rains could change conditions.
Glendale Bench	8/29/2015	2WD	2WD. Chance of rain forecast 8/30/15. Road conditions changeable.
Paria Movie Set	8/31/2015	2WD, Impassable	2WD to picnic area, rough spots. Muddy/impassable beyond picnic area/restrooms till it dries out
House Rock Valley	8/23/2015	2WD, 2WD High Clearance	2WD w/caution to rough rutted areas. Buckskin crossing 2WD w/caution, clearance helpful.
White House	8/31/2015	2WD	2WD w caution to rough spots, bumpy wash crossing

